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Sir:

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Title: DEVICE AND METHOD OF REDUCING FRICTION AND  
DISPLACEMENT OF OSTOMY APPLIANCES

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Including:

- 1. A specification including claims consisting of 11 pages.
- 2. Drawings consisting of 3 sheets.
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Additionally:

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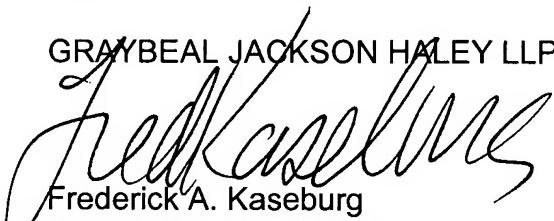
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